

COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

Board of Education

Agenda

Date of Meeting: February 15, 2001 **Time:** 1:30 p.m.

Location: Richmond City Hall, BoardRoom, 17th Floor
900 East Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia



1:30 p.m. FULL BOARD CONVENES

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes of the January 11, 2001 Meeting of the Board

Approval of Agenda

Consent Agenda

- A. Final Review of Recommendations Concerning Release of Literary Fund Loans for Placement on Waiting List
- B. Final Review of Recommendations Concerning Applications for Literary Fund Loans
- C. Final Review of Financial Report on Literary Fund

Resolutions and Recognitions

- Recognition of Virginia's 2001 Teachers of the Year

Action/Discussion Items

- D. First Review of Proposed Special Education Complaint Appeal Procedures
- E. First Review of the Revised Health Education Standards of Learning
- F. First Review of the Revised Physical Education Standards of Learning

IMPORTANT NOTICE:
Please note that the meeting begins at 1:30 p.m. on the 17th Floor of Richmond City Hall, 900 East Broad Street, Richmond, VA.

Action/Discussion Items (continued)

- G. First Review of the Revised Driver Education Standards of Learning
- H. First Review of a Model School Improvement Plan Format and Guidelines for Annual Reports from Schools that are Accredited with Warning (8 VAC 20-131-310)
- I. First Review of Accountability Advisory Committee's Recommendation of Advanced Placement Human Geography as a Substitute Test for the Standards of Learning World Geography Test
- J. Final Review of Regulations Governing Approved Programs for Virginia Institutions of Higher Education
- K. Presentation from the Albemarle County Public Schools on the Evaluation of On-Line Courses Approved by the Board of Education
- L. First Review of a Request for Approval of an Innovative Program Involving an Alternative Staffing Plan for Library-Media Services

PUBLIC COMMENT

DISCUSSION OF CURRENT ISSUES - by Board of Education Members and Superintendent of Public Instruction

ADJOURNMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board president reserves the right to change the times listed on this agenda depending upon the time constraints during the meeting. The Board of Education members will meet for lunch at 12:00 p.m. in the Boardroom on the 17th Floor at Richmond City Hall on Thursday, February 15, 2001. Items for the board agenda may be discussed informally at that lunch.

GUIDELINES FOR PUBLIC COMMENT BEFORE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

1. The Board of Education is pleased to receive public comment at each of its regular monthly meetings. In order to allow the Board sufficient time for its other business, the total time allotted to public comment will generally be limited to thirty (30) minutes. Individuals seeking to speak to the Board will be allotted three (3) minutes each.
2. Those wishing to speak to the Board should contact Dr. Margaret Roberts, Executive Assistant for Board Relations at (804) 225-2924. Normally, speakers will be scheduled in the order that their requests are received until the entire allotted time slot has been used. Where issues involving a variety of views are presented before the Board, the Board reserves the right to allocate the time available so as to insure that the Board hears from different points of view on any particular issue.
3. Speakers are urged to contact Dr. Roberts in advance of the meeting. Because of time limitations, those persons who have not previously registered to speak prior to the day of the Board meeting cannot be assured that they will have an opportunity to appear before the Board.
4. In order to make the limited time available most effective, speakers are urged to provide multiple written copies of their comments or other material amplifying their views.